

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)**  
**ESTABLISHMENT OF ASSIGNEE**

Applicant : Nagai et al.  
App. No. : 10/588,428  
Filed : August 4, 2006  
For : FUNCTIONAL BEVERAGE AND COMPOSITION  
Examiner : Melissa Jean Perreira  
Group Art Unit : 1618

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This document is being filed with a copy of a Power of Attorney signed by the Assignees. This Statement sets forth the chain of title of the above-identified application.

Asahi Soft Drinks Co., Ltd., a Japanese corporation, Asahi Breweries, Ltd., a Japanese Corporation and Incorporated Administrative Agency, National Agriculture and Food Research Organization, a Japanese corporation, are the Assignees of the entire right, title, and interest of the above-referenced application by virtue of:

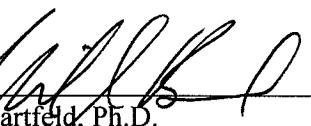
The Assignment from the inventor(s) to the Assignees recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 4, 2006, at Reel 019594, and Frame 0736.

The undersigned is an agent of Customer Number 20995 and is authorized to act on behalf of the Assignee. Please recognize or change the correspondence address for the above-identified application to **Customer No. 20995**.

Respectfully submitted,

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